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SUBJECT: Project DTLINEN, Amendment No. 2

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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3828
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
DATE 2007**1. PURPOSE**

To promote and sustain popular anti-Communist resistance within the target country through a broad program of psychological warfare.

2. BACKGROUND

a. Project DTLINEN has been operative since 24 May 1949 and was initiated for the purpose of exposing conditions in Soviet prisoner-of-war and concentration camps in the target country. A secondary purpose was to provide a source of useful information concerning the psychological situation within the target country.

b. At the present time the DTLINEN organization distributes propaganda material ranging from several hundred thousand items per month to over two million. Under KUBARK guidance the organization conducts administrative harassment operations and debriefs over 1,500 individuals per month. The organization also engages in intelligence activities and initiates and supports teams of speakers who participate in public rallies, film showings, lecture programs, and similar activities.

c. Project DTLINEN was approved for FY 1957 renewal in the amount of []. Additional funds are now required in order to exploit intensely recent developments in Hungary and other East European satellites. As the scope and pace of these developments was unexpected, the DTLINEN budget for FY 1957 does not provide adequate funds for currently desirable activities in this field.

3. PROPOSAL

It is proposed that Amendment No. 2 to Project DTLINEN be approved in the amount of [] FY 1957 funds, increasing the project total from [] to []. Funds will be made available from within the EE Division's current budget allocation for FY 1957.

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4. ACTION

At the request of the Deputy Director (Plans) this action is effected by lateral vote, without a formal meeting of the Project Review Committee.

5. RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Director of Central Intelligence approve Amendment No. 2 to Project DYLLINEN as proposed, above.

CONCUR:

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